The above two Schemes now stand transferred to State Government with effect from 1.4.1992.

[*English*]

Schemes for Khadi and Cottage Industries in Kerala

6476. SHRI P.C. THOMAS: Will the PRIME MINSTER be pleased to state:

(a) the new schemes to develop Khadi and Cottage Industries;

(b) the manner in which the assistance for starting such small scale industries in the rural sector are being provided and the schemes for which such financial assistance in given; and

(c) the amount given to Kerala under this sector during the last three years?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (PROF.P.J. KURIEN): (a) The new schemes proposed by KVIC for development are:

i). Mini Rice Mills
ii) 'Dalaiya' Making
iii) Cattle feed/Poultry feed
iv) District Raw Material Bank (for Leather)
v) Retanning and finishing wet blue crust (for Leather)
vi) Milk based products
vii) 'Sisal' Fibre production Units
viii) 'Ban' Production Units
ix) Fibre Fancy Article Units
x) 'Kora' Grass Mat Weaving Units
xi) Banana Fibre Production Units
xii) Rope Making Units
xiii) Essential Oils/Attar Units
xiv) One '4' Bolt Expeller Units with power ghani
xv) Hawai Chappals production unit.

(b) The Khadi and Village Industries programmes are implemented in Kerala by the State KVI Board, 33 registered institutions and 2117 cooperatives. KVIC finances these institutions and cooperatives directly and through State KVI Board for the development of Khadi and Village Industires.

(c) During the last three years, the following funds were disbursed to Kerala by KVIC for development of khadi and village industries:-

(Rs. in lakhs)

Year	Grant	Loan
1988-89	206.99	436.72
1989-90	268.67	595.89
1990-91	175.44	750.41

Indian Administrative Service Officers

6477. SHRI MOHAN RAWALE:Will the PRIME MINSTER be pleased to state:

(a) the number of I.A.S. Officers in the country, State-wise as on 31st March, 1992;

(b) the quota for promotion to the cadre of I.A.S. for each state;

(c) whether the number of I.A.S. officers in Maharashtra is more than the required ones; and if so, the reaction of the Government in this ragard;

(d) the guidlines for appointment of I.A.S. officers, gradewise; and

(e) the posts in Central and State Undertakings, where I.A.S. officers are appointed?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC